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**Sir:**

This Amendment is timely filed in complete response to the Official Action mailed on January 3, 2002. A three-month extension of time has been requested and the corresponding fee paid extending the time period of response until July 3, 2002.

**Please amend the above-identified application as follows:**

Please delete the "Brief Description of the Drawing" on page 6, lines 2-20 in its entirety and replace with the following "Brief Description of the Drawings":

--Figure 1 shows the formation of blood vessels in wounds transfected with a tissue factor-expressing vector. Figure 1A shows the formation of blood vessels in wounds transfected with a tissue factor-expressing vector (a). Figure 1B shows the